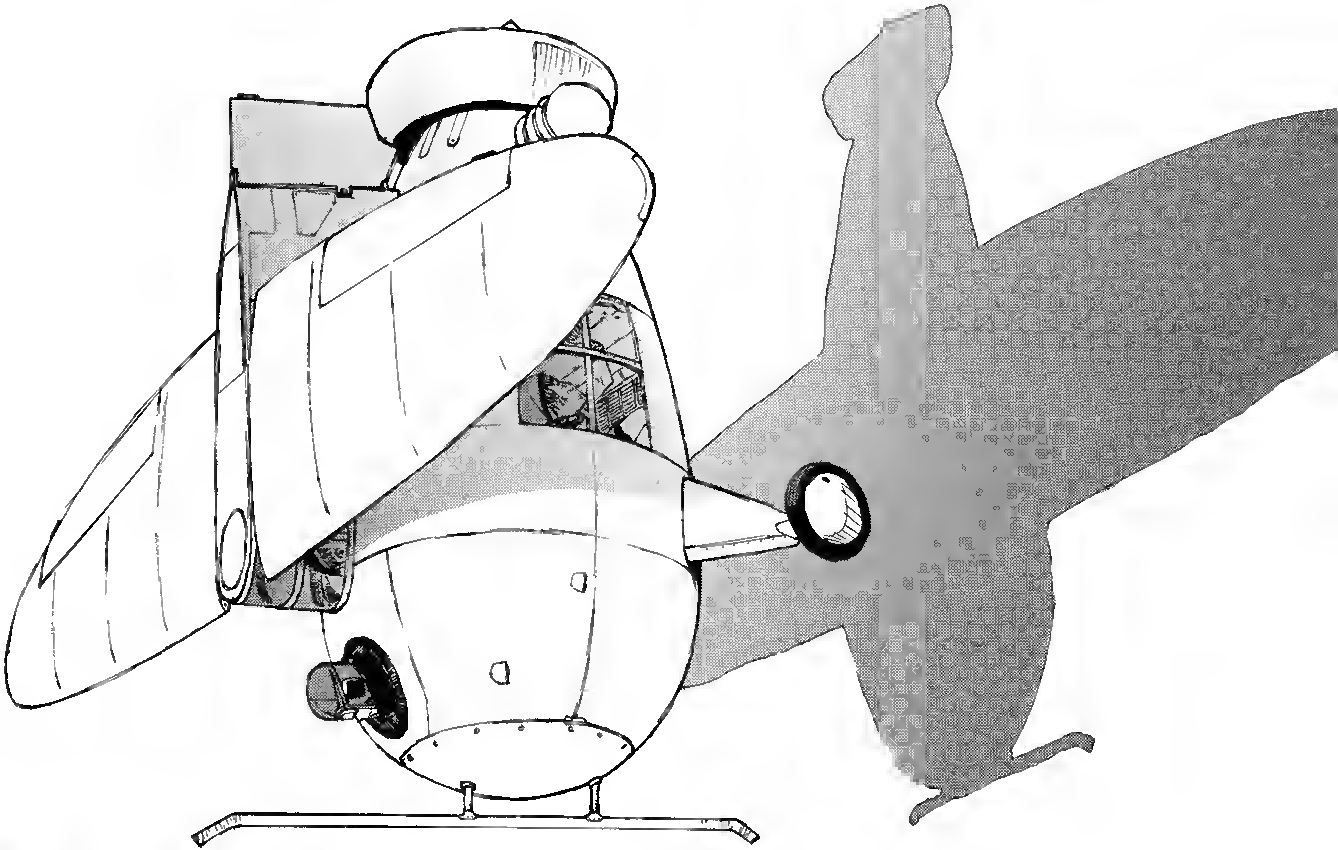

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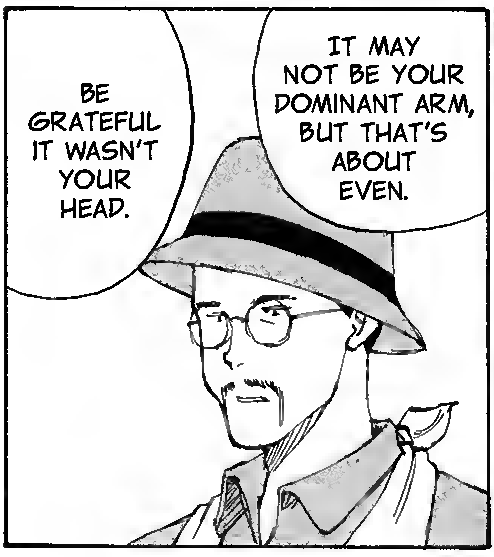
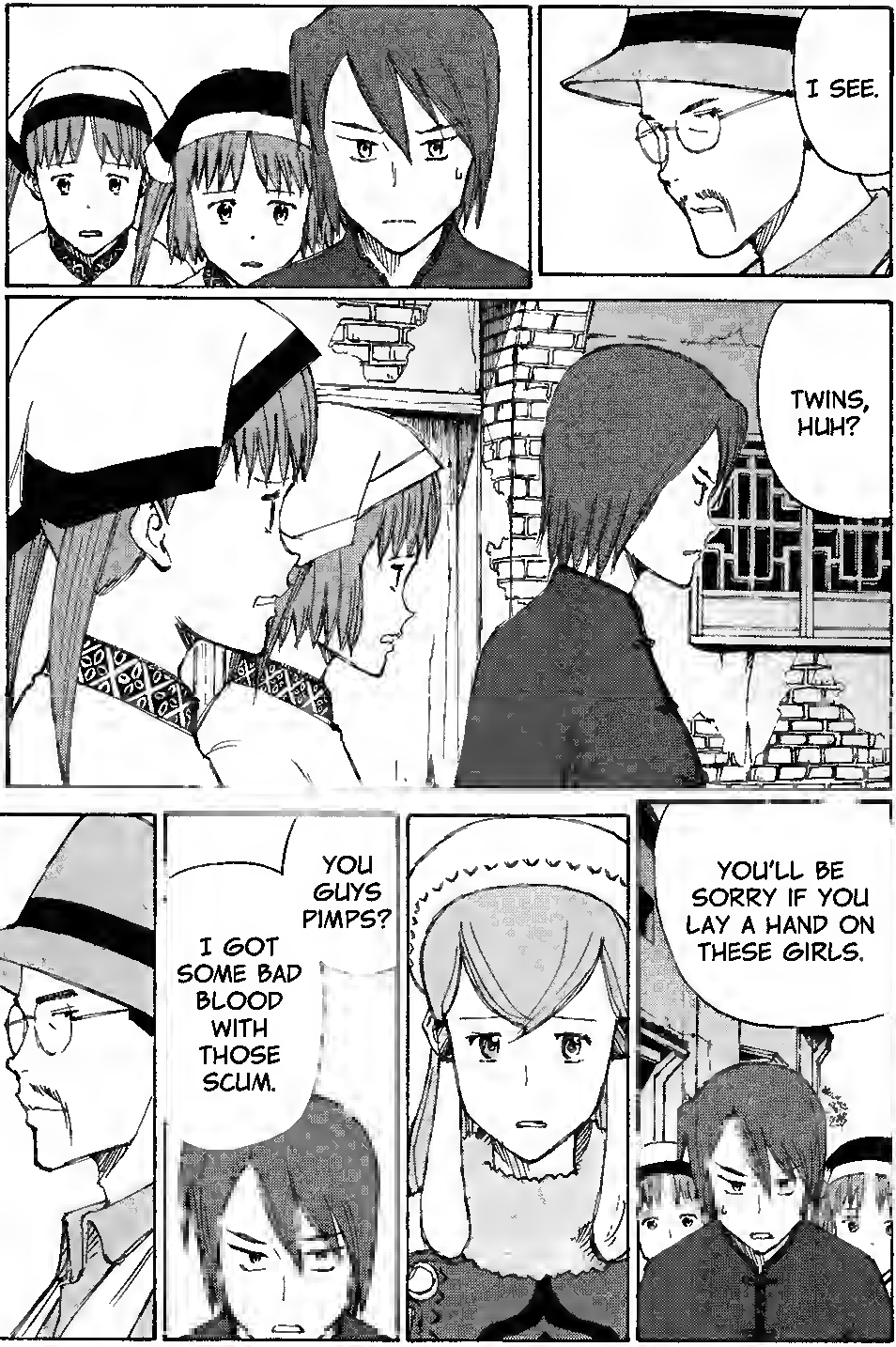

IT MAY NOT BE YOUR DOMINANT ARM, BUT THAT'S ABOUT EVEN.
BE GRATEFUL IT WASN'T YOUR HEAD.

WHAT'S WITH THESE GUYS?!
DON'T TOUCH THE GIRL.
IT SEEMS SHE'S UNDER A MAGICIAN'S CURSE.
YOU'LL DIE.
A CURSE?
THESE GIRLS FRIENDS OF THEIRS?

NOT WITH THEM.
THERE'S NO WAY WE'RE FRIENDS.
DON'T WORRY.
PAULA!
GEEZ, YOU MEN ARE ALL THE SAME.
YOU'RE NOT GOOD GUYS, ARE YOU?
BUT FOR YOU TO USE METHODS LIKE THIS...
SEEMS THESE GALS WERE ASKIN' ABOUT A MAGICIAN TOO.
NAH, I AIN'T EVER SEEN HER BEFORE.
IS SHE FROM AROUND HERE?
WHAT AN INTER-ESTING WOMAN.

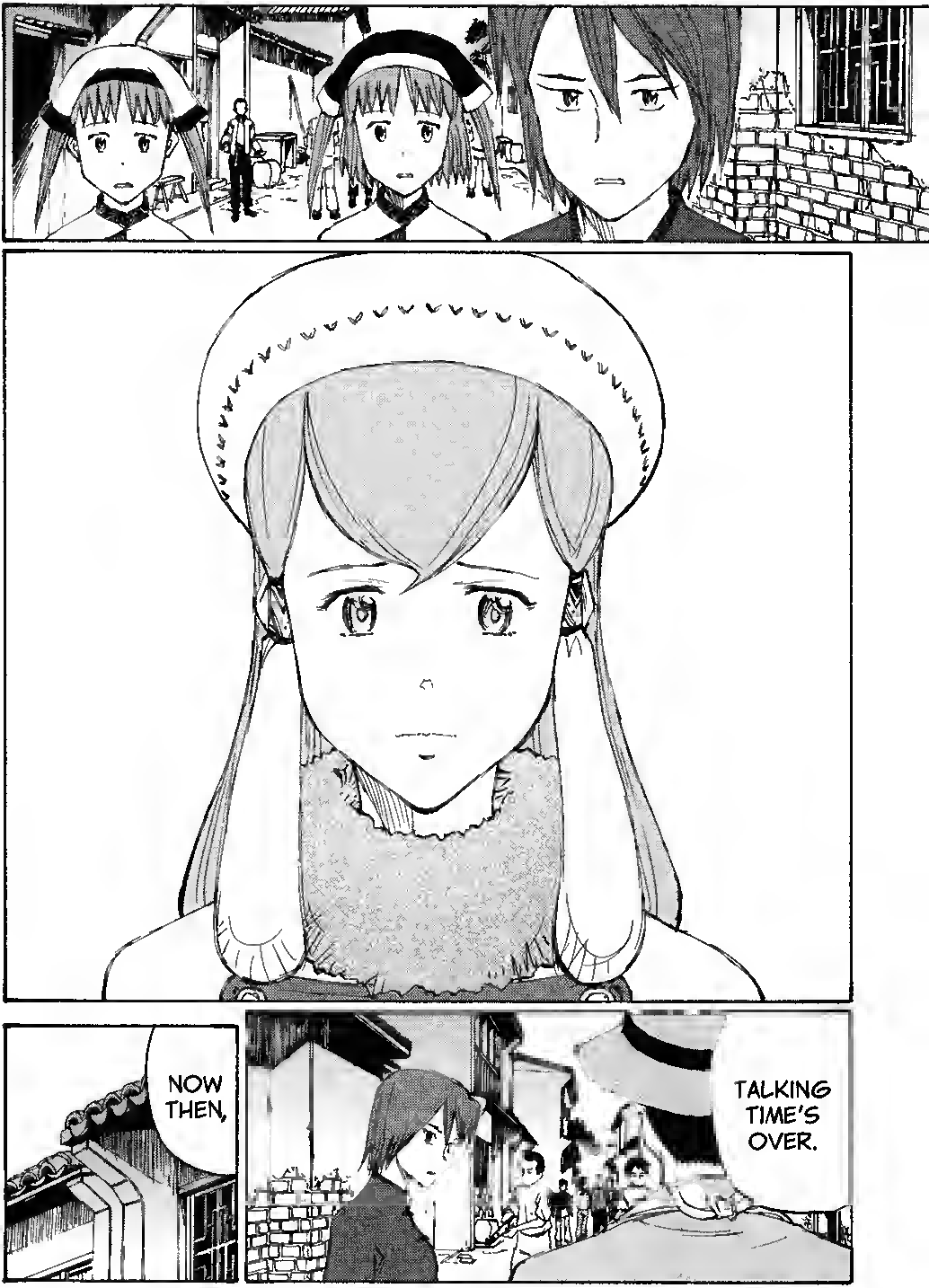

I SEE.
TWINS, HUH?
YOU GUYS PIMPS?
I GOT SOME BAD BLOOD WITH THOSE SCUM.
YOU'LL BE SORRY IF YOU LAY A HAND ON THESE GIRLS.

TWINS ARE A BAD OMEN.
THEY'RE A CALAMITY THAT ENDS FAMILY BLOODLINES.
HEY, ASSHOLE! IS THAT SOME SUPERSTITION WHERE YOU'RE FROM?
AROUND HERE, THEY'RE A SYMBOL OF WEALTH AND PROSPERITY.
THEY'RE GOOD LUCK!

THIS IS KOU TERRITORY.
I'LL QUESTION THE THREE OF YOU LATER.

WHA-?
THIS WILD WOMAN...
YOU WON'T GET ANY TRUE INFORMATION HERE.
AREN'T YOU IN THE SAME BOAT?!
WH-
NOT ONLY ARE YOU A SAVAGE, BUT YOU'RE STUPID, TOO.
CAN'T YOU TELL IT'S A TRAP?
WHY'D YOU COME TO A PLACE LIKE THIS?

HOW ARE YOU SO PROUD OF FALLING FOR THE SAME-
I KNEW.
I SAW THROUGH IT.
EVEN IF IT'S A SMALL CHANCE,
I JUST WANT TO SURVIVE.
BUT...
I...

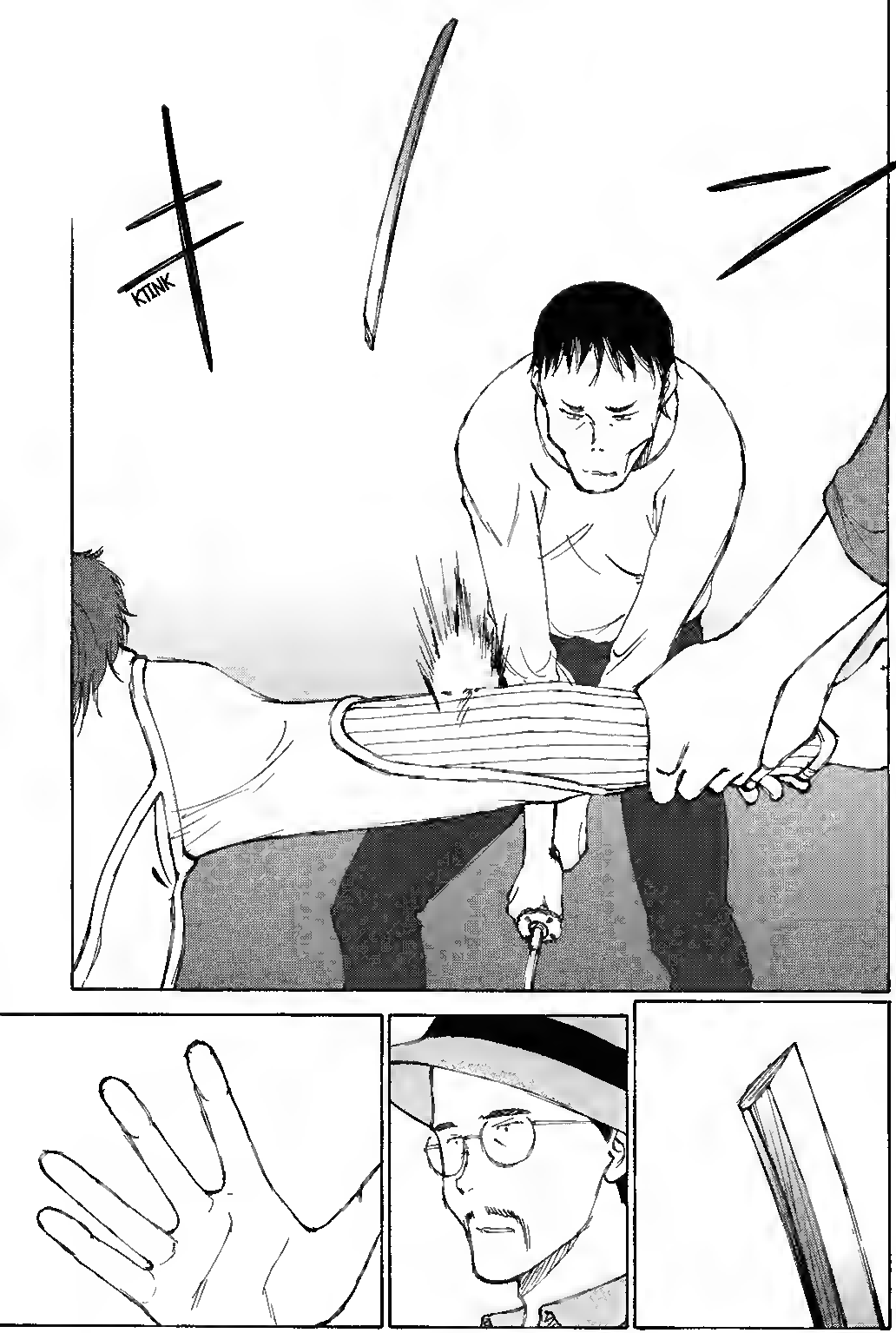

NOW THEN,
TALKING TIME'S OVER.

FIRST, GIVE ME YOUR RIGHT ARM.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT POWER HE MIGHT HAVE.
WATCH YOUR-SELVES.

THOSE GIRLS TOO.
AND WE SHOOT.
MOVE AN INCH,
THAT BRAT'S SWORD.
I CAN'T PICK IT UP.
WHAT'S WITH THIS WEIGHT?
EH?

GRIP

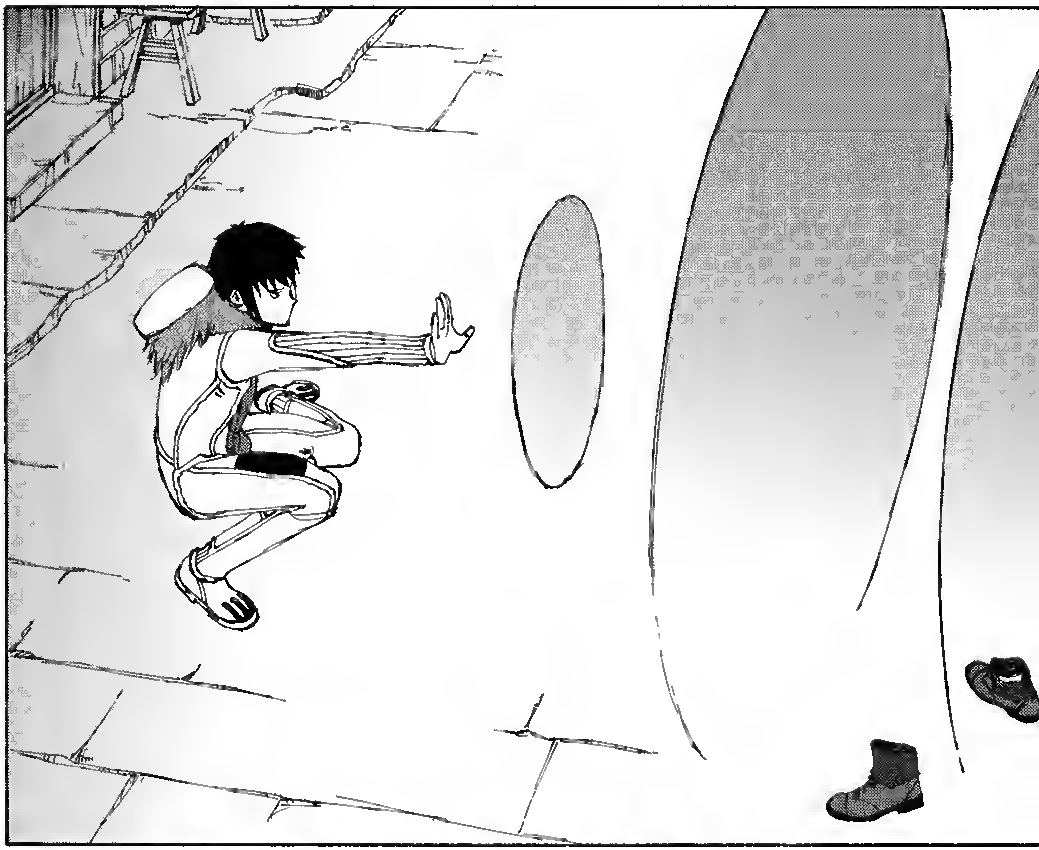
CUT IT OFF.
FWOOSH

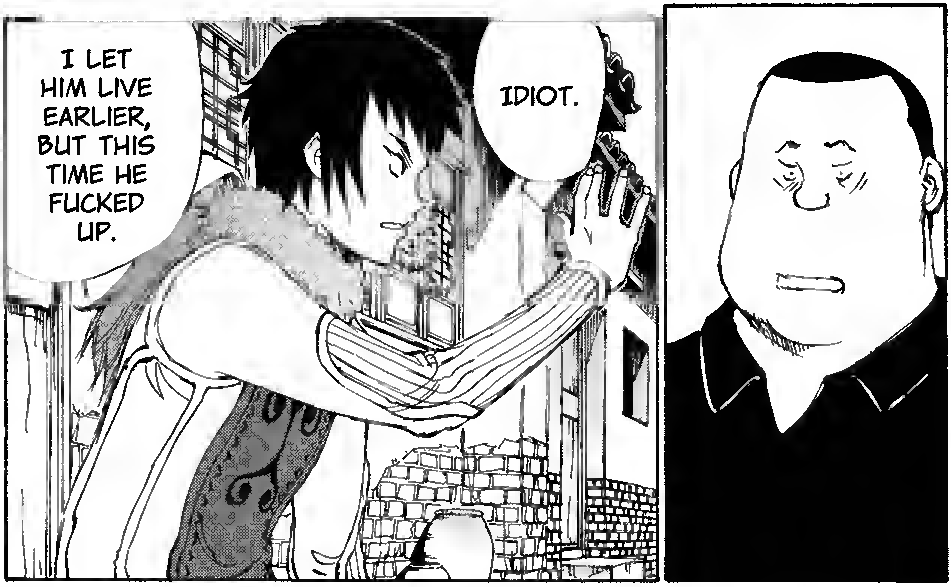

KTINK

D-
GAW-
SAMA!

BLRGH
BSHEW

BANG
BANG

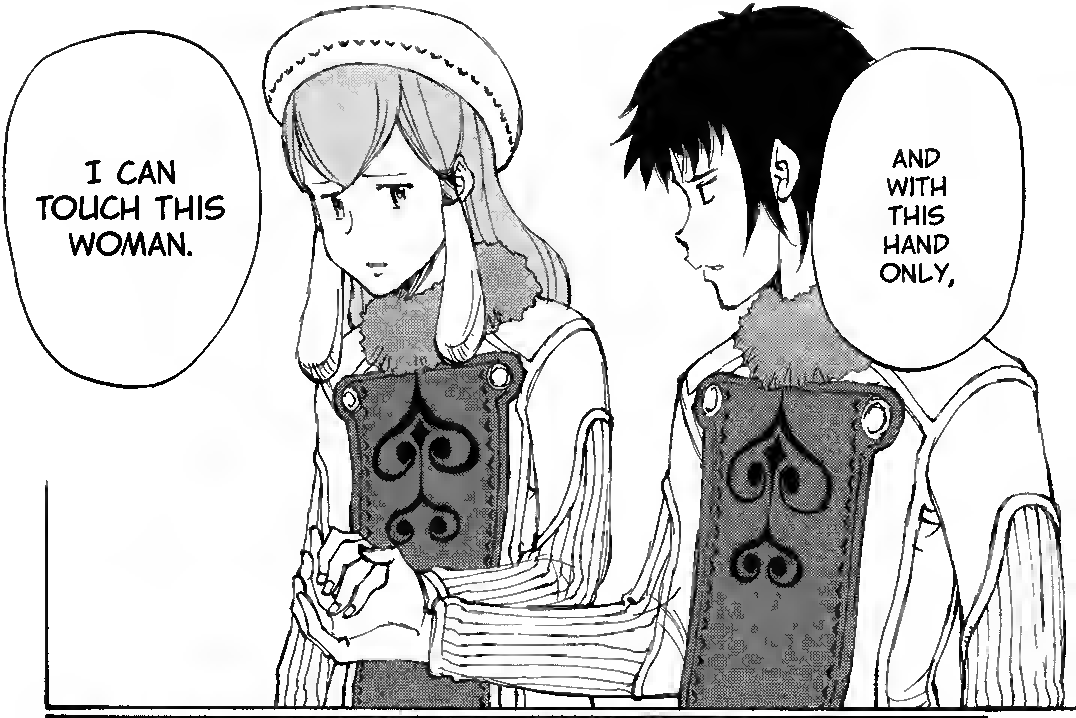


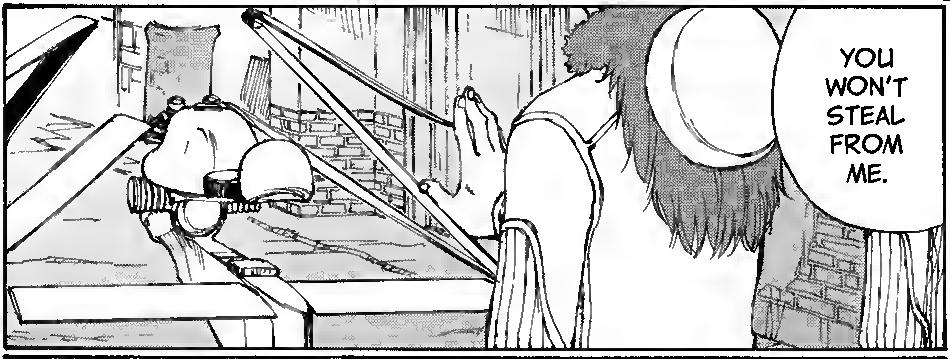

I LET HIM LIVE EARLIER, BUT THIS TIME HE FUCKED UP.
IDIOT.

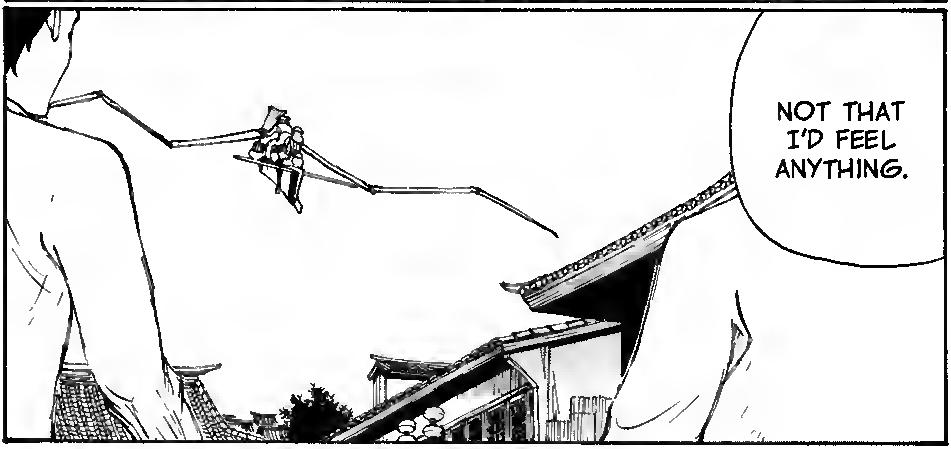
YOU STILL WANNA GO?
WHEW
WHEW

YOU ALSO UNDER A MAGICIAN'S CURSE OR SOMETHIN'?
WHAT'S THAT POWER?
T-TELL ME...
I WAS THE SAME AS YOUR BOSS.
MY ARM WAS CUT OFF BY THE TIANLING.
I CARE-LESSLY TOUCHED HER.
WHEN I BOUGHT THIS WOMAN FROM A MAGICIAN,
THIS IS ARTIFICIAL.

IT'S A MAGICIAN'S ARTIFICIAL ARM.
IT SEEMS ONLY I CAN USE IT,
SO DON'T THINK ABOUT TRYING ANYTHING.
AND BY THE WAY,


I CAN TOUCH THIS WOMAN.
AND WITH THIS HAND ONLY,


YOU WON'T STEAL FROM ME.

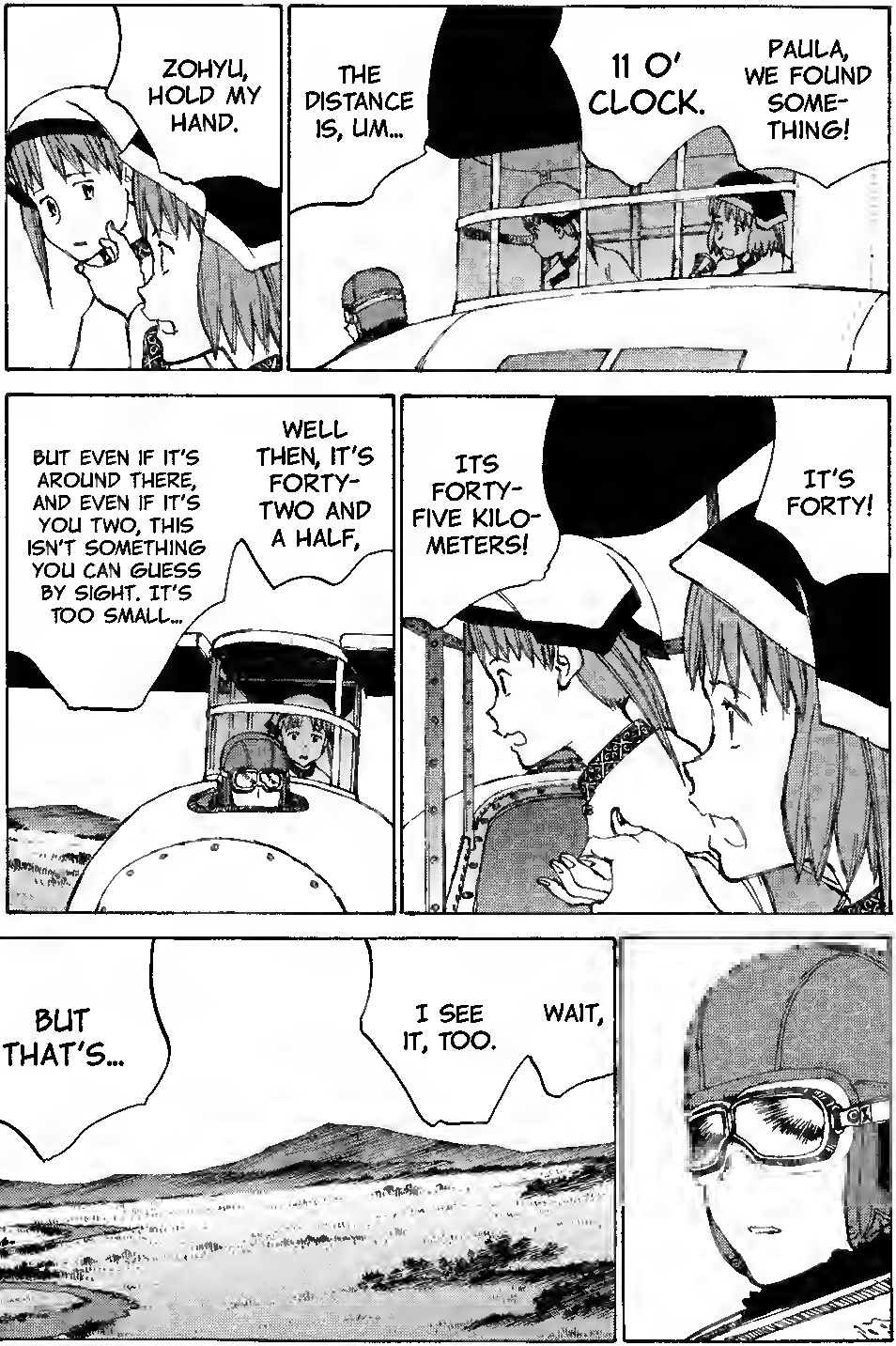

NOT THAT I'D FEEL ANYTHING.

WHOA!
YOU'RE FREE TO GO.
WE'RE DONE.
IT'S FINE ALREADY.
YOU GUYS WANNA FIGHT?!
YOU!

WE GOTTA FOLLOW THOSE GUYS!
REALLY?

A BOY WITH A MAGICIAN'S ARTIFICIAL ARM.
Huff
Huff
A GIRL UNDER A MAGICIAN'S CURSE.
THEY'RE THE ONLY RACE TO EVER HAVE DIRECT TRADE WITH MAGICIANS.
A KONG XIA!
WE'VE FOUND A SURVIVOR!
Huff
Huff
AFTER THE KOU MILITARY MASSACRED THEM LAST YEAR,
BINGO!

YOU LIARS!
OUR EYES ARE WIDE OPEN!
KEEP A LOOK OUT!
YOHYU! ZOHYU!
A MAGI-CIAN'S ARM.
IS IT NO GOOD?
BUT DID WE TAKE TOO LONG?
I THOUGHT THEY FLEW OFF IN THIS DIRECTION...
HE MUST BE THE STRONGEST OF THEM!
THAT GUY!


ZOHYU, HOLD MY HAND.
THE DISTANCE IS, UM...
11 O' CLOCK.
PAULA, WE FOUND SOME-THING!
BUT EVEN IF IT'S AROUND THERE, AND EVEN IF IT'S YOU TWO, THIS ISN'T SOMETHING YOU CAN GUESS BY SIGHT. IT'S TOO SMALL...
WELL THEN, IT'S FORTY-TWO AND A HALF,
ITS FORTY-FIVE KILO-METERS!
IT'S FORTY!
BUT THAT'S...
I SEE IT, TOO.
WAIT,

WHAT'S A KOU WARSHIP DOING HERE?
A SHIP!
WE HAVE THE BASE COMMANDER BELOW WATCHING THE SKIES.
ENTRY PROCEDURES ARE CLEAR!
NOW THEN,
AS FOR THE SURVIVOR OF THE "EMPTY MIST" OR WHATEVER.
SHALL WE BEGIN OUR HUNT?

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